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TO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: BEXP, KU, US

SUBJECT: KUWAIT CEMENT PLANT EXPANSION - ALLIS-CHALMERS  
BID

FROM NEA/ARP

1. AMBASSADOR SMITH CALLED AT ARP ON MARCH 11 TO THANK  
DEPT FOR HELP GIVEN HIM IN KUWAIT BY AMBASSADOR, BOGOSIAN,  
AND KATTOUF.
2. HE ASKED, AT LEAST PENDING FINAL ACCEPTANCE OR RE-  
JECTION OF ALLIS-CHALMERS BID, THAT EMBASSY NOT RPT NOT  
INDICATE TO ABDUL AZIZ AL-THUWAIJRI THAT EMBASSY KNOWS  
IDENTITY OF SMITH'S PRINCIPAL CONTACT IN KUWAIT.
3. SMITH VERY PLEASED WITH EXTENSIVE ASSISTANCE EMBASSY  
RENDERED HIM BUT HE WOULD PREFER THAT KATTOUF'S QTE ALL  
TOO INTELLIGENT SPECULATIONS UNQTE NOT RPT NOT APPEAR TO  
AL-THUWAIJRI AS BREACH OF COMMERCIAL CONFIDENCES. INGERSOLL

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